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BURGLAR IN  
DUEL KILLS  
POLICEMAN

In a Desperate Encounter at New Rochelle Maurice Ahern Is Cut with a Stiletto and Shot to Death by an Italian.

PHYSICIAN AN EYE-WITNESS.

Policeman Fights Courageously Against Armed Foe Until He Falls Dead and the Burglar Makes His Escape.

In the aristocratic section of New Rochelle, Morris Ahern, a private watchman, was stabbed and shot to death in an encounter with an Italian burglar early to-day.

The police of Portchester have under arrest Angelo Bonaventura, twenty-six years old, who is held on suspicion of being the murderer of Maurice Ahern. He was taken to the police station with three empty chambers, and the back of his coat was streaked with blood, as though he had been carrying a sack. His clothes were muddy and disarranged. He looked as if he had an encounter, and he was so excited that he spoke incoherently and could give no satisfactory explanation of his movements during the night.

Policeman Ahern, an Italian, was sent out by the Chief of Police of Portchester to look for the suspect after word was received of the murder at New Rochelle. At 4 A. M. he saw the stranger and asked him in Italian where he had been and where he was going. The man replied that he had been in New Rochelle, looking for work.

When taken to Police Headquarters the tell-tale revolver was found on him and he contradicted the statement he had made, saying his home was in Greenwich and that he had not been near New Rochelle during the night. He was taken to New Rochelle.

Col. Edward Lyman Bill, who is President of the Police Board of New Rochelle, and a member of the New Rochelle Park Association, has offered \$1,000 reward for the capture of the murderer, \$500 on behalf of the city and \$500 on behalf of the Park Association.

The encounter between the policeman and burglar was desperate, one wielding his night stick, the other a stiletto. The policeman's coat was cut to shreds by the Italian's stiletto before he was shot dead.

The murder was committed directly in front of the residence of Joseph T. Brown, who is connected with the Knickerbocker Trust Company. Dr. Johnston, who was attending a sick patient, was seated at a front window smoking.

FOLLOWS BROTHER  
TO SUICIDE'S GRAVE.

James O'Brien, Who Grieved Over the Death of John by Gas, Takes Carbolic Acid.

Grieving over the death of his brother, who committed suicide a month ago, James O'Brien, twenty-two years old, of No. 3 West One Hundred and Nineteenth street, drank carbolic acid in Mount Morris Park this afternoon. He died a few minutes later, and the body was removed to the East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street Police Station.

A month ago John O'Brien, who was a veteran of the Spanish war and who after the war became a confirmed drunkard, tired of the reproaches of his family and ended his life by inhaling gas. The younger brother was at the time threatened to end his life so great was his grief.

In the pockets of James to-day was found a letter written to his mother, in which he begged her to forgive him for what he was about to do, and adding that it was impossible for him to live longer without John, and he was doing what he did to join him.

CHURCH STREET POOL-  
ROOM IS RIADED.

Doors Battered Down with an Axe Before a Big Crowd, but Only Four Arrested.

Capt. Burns, of the Church Street Station, with fifteen men cleared a pool-room at No. 96 Church street, at the corner of Barclay, this afternoon. There were 200 players in the place at the time, but all were allowed to go but four, who are accused of having run the room.

Two detectives, disguised as firemen, were sent to the place ostensibly to inspect it. When they were safe inside Capt. Burns and his squad descended on the room with axes. A great crowd gathered in the street while the doors were being battered down. Most of the men in the room were Jersey commuters.

"Get the Rabbit!"

'SARK' PARKS  
THROWN OUT  
BY POLICE

Walking Delegate Accused of Accepting Bribes to End Strikes Husted Away from Ballot Box at House-smiths' Election.

HE DEFIED THE OFFICIAL.

When Finally Ejected He Made Threats Which Many Members Understood Meant the Disruption of the Union

Police reserves were out this afternoon at the election of officers of the House-smiths' and Bridgemen's Union, which will continue until late to-night at Mannerchor Hall, No. 203 East Fifty-sixth street.

Incidentally Walking Delegate Sam Parks, who was arrested a week ago for alleged extortion and who is a candidate for re-election, got a rough going. He had taken up a position on the ballot box and refused to move when the judges of election ordered him to do so. Then they called upon Police Captain Tighe, and twenty reserves, who were on hand in anticipation of trouble to throw him out.

Parks would not budge from his seat on the ballot-box when the police requested him, and two burly cops took hold of him and pulled him to the door and kept him on the move until they landed him in the corridor. Excitement reigned and the bluecoats made a general clearing of corridors and ante-rooms.

Parks Feared Defeat.

There were about 2,500 members of the union on hand when the polls were declared open at 2 o'clock. About 500 of these were Parks's supporters, sworn to stick to him to the hilt, and the remainder were well-known to be opposed to the walking delegate, and Parks was informed of the word that had gone down the line to "do" him.

But he is not a man to go down without a fight and as soon as the room in which the ballot-box was set up had been opened to admit voters he entered and took the seat whence the police dragged him a few minutes later.

"I know that you are going to try to do me," said Parks to the five judges—Thomas Dodge, James Ford, Henry Woodhead, John Smith and John Henry. "You're trying to kill me off, but I'll see that you don't do it through this ballot-box."

"You have no right in here," said Dodge, "and you get out of 'I'll have you thrown out of here, it's against the constitution and the by-laws. You have no business here."

"You can go to it!" shouted the walking delegate, white with rage. "I am going to stay here."

Police Called In.

Then it was that Dodge called Capt. Tighe in, and pointing to Parks said, "Throw him out."

"Don't you lay your hands on me," Parks said to Tighe. "I know my rights and I like to know since when this union has had to hold its elections under police protection."

"You'd better get out, Parks," said Tighe. "They don't want you in here. I am not going to move, and don't you dare touch me."

"Throw him out!" came the sharp order, and two cops reached forward and pulled Parks from his perch. The walking delegate's face was wild with rage.

"I'll tell you now," he shouted to the judges and union members who were near that this will be the last time this union will hold an election. "This threat was understood. It is said by a majority of members of the union that Parks had declared that if he were defeated at this election that he would smash the organization and form another union. There were formerly two bodies, and Parks came into the present one when they amalgamated."

Immediately the police had hustled him Parks left the hall and went into the street, where members were standing in groups and began an address to them.

"Are you going to stand for this election?" he shouted. "Are the police going to say how our union shall be run? No. And his own answer was echoed by the crowd."

Called Out His Friends.

"Now, let all my friends stand out," said he, and more than five hundred came forward. Many of them were union men, while not liking Parks nor his methods, were full of sympathy for him, who wanted at the same time to utter a protest against the part the police were taking in their affairs.

The commotion caused by Parks's harangue caused Capt. Tighe to send his reserves into the street and the walking delegate might as well have been told to cause them to enter the hall where the election was being held and cause serious trouble.

Despite the appearance of support that Parks seemed to have obtained by his curb-side address, prominent men of the union say that he cannot be elected.

SMALL FIRE IN BIG BUILDING.

Office of Ledenburg, Thalman &amp; Co. Slightly Damaged.

Fire in the office of Ledenburg, Thalman &amp; Co. on the third floor of the Broad Exchange Building this afternoon did damage to the amount of \$500.

Janitors were oiling the floor of the bookkeeping department when the place was found to be afire and an alarm was turned in. Some of the office furniture was badly scorched. Most of the damage was due to water.

SHORT THOSE WINS  
\$20,000 STAKES.

Goughacre Stable's Atheling Colt at 8 to 1 in Betting Captures the Tidal from Charles Elwood—Whorler and River Pirate Were Second and Third.

WHITNEY'S FOAM STAKES.

Inflexible, a Son of Hamburg, Is First in Two-Year-Old Stake Event—Mystic Shiner (10 to 1) Takes the Steeplechase from Tippallant.

THE WINNERS.

FIRST RACE—Mystic Shiner (10 to 1), Tip Gallant (4 to 1), 2, Fox Hunter 3. Time—4:38.

SECOND RACE—Young Henry (5 to 1), Duke of Kendal (2 to 1), 2, Kingrains 3. Time—1:16.

THIRD RACE—Inflexible (7 to 5), 1, Mimosa (7 to 1), 2, Monsoon 3. Time—1:01 3-5.

FOURTH RACE—Short Hose (8 to 1), 1, Charles Elwood (20 to 1), 2, Whorler 3. Time—2:12 1-5.

FIFTH RACE—Sweet Tone (8 to 5), 1, Miss Shyluck (20 to 1), 2, Sir Wolt 3. Time—1:09.

SIXTH RACE—Leader (5 to 1), 1, Mackey Dwyer (2 to 1), 2, Flying Jib 3. Time—1:54.

(Special to The Evening World.)

SHEPHERD RAY, June 20.—The rich Tidal Stakes, worth \$20,000 was won by the Goughacre stable Short Hose, an outsider in the betting.

It was a victory that was distinctly disappointing because Short Hose in a race at Gravesend a few days ago was badly beaten by a poor lot of horses. River Pirate, who finished far in front of Short Hose on that occasion, was easily beaten by Short Hose this afternoon. Chas. Elwood, a 20 to 1 shot who also performed very badly last time out, made the running at a terrific clip that soon had the favorite Whorler in trouble. Likewise was Meltonian, the second choice, in trouble early.

Haack, on Short Hose, trailed behind and was never worried. He moved up at his leisure, and going to the front in the stretch, won very easily. Charles Elwood hung on to second place and easily beat the favorite.

The Foam Stakes was won by the Whitney entry. They had Mimosa and Inflexible entered, and declared to win with the former. Inflexible, however, had to go on and win. Monsoon was third. Gallant, the entry of Mr. Belmont, was off very badly, but made up a lot of ground.

FIRST RACE.

Short steeplechase course.

Starters, wh. Jock. St. Half Fin. Betting.

Mystic Shiner, 145, Mar. 7 5 10 4

Tip Gallant, 160, H. S. W. 4 2 10 4

Fox Hunter, 125, Green 1 1 1 4 8-5

Kingrains, 130, A. Hewitt, 6 2 4 15 6

Volney Force, 118, Martin 2 6 7 59

Superior, 123, Voth, 3 2 10 16-5

Fabius, 130, Fry, 5 2 10 6-5

Onill, 140, Martin 3 6 7 59

Start good. Won driving, Time—4:38.

At the first jump Gum Huey swerved and the last jump where Tip Gallant took up the running and showed the way to the stretch. There Mystic Shiner, the entry of Mr. Belmont, was four lengths in front of Fox Hunter.

SECOND RACE.

Six furlongs.

Starters, wh. Jock. St. Half Fin. Betting.

Young Henry, 122, Odum, 6 5 1 1/4 6-2

Duke of Kendal, 114, Mar. 5 2 10 4

Kingrains, 110, N. Lewis, 4 2 10 4-5

The Camel, 115, Odum, 2 10 11 7-5

Savrometer, 120, Gannon, 3 1 5 8 8-5

Scire, 112, Michaels, 7 7 8 20

Start good. Won driving, Time—1:16.

Savrometer made the running, followed by Kingrains and Duke of Kendal. The stretch was reached. There Savrometer and Kingrains tied away and Duke of Kendal took up the running. In the last furlong Young Henry closed strong and wearing down Duke of Kendal won by half a length. Duke of Kendal was three lengths in front of Kingrains.

THIRD RACE.

Five furlongs.

Starters, wh. Jock. St. Half Fin. Betting.

Inflexible, 115, Burns, 4 2 10 4-5

Mimosa, 111, Gannon, 2 4 15 8-5

Monsoon, 111, Gannon, 2 4 15 8-5

Gallant, 114, Minder, 6 7 12 5-5

Precision, 115, Odum, 6 7 12 5-5

Clifton Forge, 115, McKeen 3 9 10 8

Chile, 115, Odum, 3 9 10 8

Tim Parry, 114, Cochran, 11 11 10 20 8

Monet, 115, Belmont, 12 12 12 20 8

Maxie, 114, O'Neill, 12 12 12 20 8

Start good. Won handily. Time—1:01 3-5.

During this race it was raining very hard and very little could be seen of the race, except the last quarter. When they came in sight the Whitney pair were leading, and they stayed in front to the end, Inflexible winning by a length and

PICKET WINS  
AMERICAN  
DERBY.

WASHINGTON PARK, CHICAGO, June 20.—Picket won the American Derby here to-day. Claude was second, five lengths away, and Bernays was third by a head. John A. Drake's Savable, the favorite, on which \$200,000 was bet, was fourth.

The time of the race—2:33—for the distance, a mile and a half, considering the condition of the track, is remarkable.

Picket had worked exceedingly fast before the race and was played by many of the "wise ones," but the big plunge on Savable and Claude and others kept his price up to 10 to 1.

They were off to a good start, Claude showing in front. Au Revoir was second and Linguist third. At the quarter Picket led by a neck, Au Revoir second and Savable had crept up to the third place.

At the half Picket led by half a length, Au Revoir was still second and Linguist again third. From this point Picket gained steadily and finished five lengths ahead of Claude and Bernays, both of whom came from the ruck.

PITTSBURG, 8; BOSTON, 4—NATIONAL LEAGUE.

PITTSBURG ..... 0 0 0 0 4 0 2 0 2-8  
BOSTON ..... 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 2-4

Cincinnati at Philadelphia—postponed—rain.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

INVADERS AT DETROIT—POSTPONED: RAIN.  
At Cleveland—End of fifth: Boston, 3; Cleveland, 4.  
At Chicago—End of fifth: Philadelphia, 0; Chicago, 0.  
At St. Louis—End of fourth: Washington, 1; St. Louis, 2.

ATTACHMENT AGAINST STOCKBROKERS.

The Sheriff to-day received an attachment for \$15,378 against property of William B. Gurley and Richard A. Johnson (Gurley & Johnson), stock brokers, at Washington, D.C., in favor of Berthe Malett, balance due on stock transactions in 1901.

EMPEROR WILLIAM IN  
ACCIDENT AT HAMBURG

Scores Trampled Under Foot and Injured in the Mad Rush that Followed the Giving Way of a Barrier While the Kaiser Was Unveiling a Statue.

HAMBURG, June 20.—A serious disaster occurred here to-day while Emperor William was unveiling a statue.

Barriers erected to keep back the public from around the statue gave way. A wild panic followed and many persons were injured. Scores were taken away in ambulances, having been crushed underfoot.

a half from Mimosa, who beat Monsoon half a length for the place.

FOURTH RACE.

Mile and a quarter.

Starters, wh. Jock. St. Half Fin. Betting.

Short Hose, 126, Mar. 11 1 1 1/4 20 8-5

Charles Elwood, 125, Ballin 1 1 1 1/4 20 8-5

Whorler, 125, O'Neill, 3 2 10 9-10

River Pirate, 126, Hoke, 4 4 1 1/4 9-10

Meltonian, 125, Odum, 4 2 10 16-5

Black Hussar, 125, Martin 2 6 7 59

Start poor. Won easily. Time—2:12 1-5.

Charles Elwood went to the front and set a merry pace, followed by Whorler. River Pirate and Short Hose. They held this order around the first turn, where Meltonian moved up to third place. Charles Elwood hung on to his lead to the far turn and the backers of the favorite began to get anxious. There was little change to the stretch except that Short Hose moved up rapidly on the turn and took the place at the head of the stretch. He ran home easily by two and a half lengths from Charles Elwood, who beat Whorler three lengths.

FIFTH RACE.

Six furlongs.

Starters, wh. Jock. St. Half Fin. Betting.

Sweet Tone, 85, Haack, 1 2 1 1/4 8-5 7-10

Miss Shyluck, 115, Michaels 4 1 1 1/4 8-5

Sir Wolt, 115, Martin 2 6 7 59

Exonator, 105, Bulman, 4 4 4 4

Tamara, 105, Robinson, 2 4 4 4

CASHER IS  
LOCKED UP  
AS A THIEF.

Frank C. Jappe, Trusted Employee of the Frank Leslie Publishing Company, Is Accused of Embezzling \$10,000.

EXPERTS ON HIS BOOKS.

Detectives Find Him at the Home of Relatives in Fordham and Place Him in a Cell at Police Headquarters.

Frank C. Jappe, cashier of the Frank Leslie Publishing Co., was arrested this afternoon on a charge of embezzling \$10,000 from the company. The arrest was made by Detective Sergeants Clark and Mulcare.

Jappe was not at his home, No. 811 High street, Hoboken, but was found in Fordham, where he was visiting relatives. He was taken to Police Headquarters and locked up. The prisoner will be arraigned in the Tombs Police Court to-morrow morning, when Frederick L. Culver will appear as the complainant against him.

The accused man has been in the employ of the publishing house for about fourteen years. He steadily worked his way up through the various clerkship grades until he finally was chosen cashier, in which post he served for more than four years.

Jappe was absent from his place several days last week, and it was during that time that the discovery of the alleged irregularities was made in his accounts. Experts were put on his books and, according to the report, it was found that his peculations amounted to something like \$10,000 and covered a period of about four years.

The money is said to have been taken by means of false entries so cleverly executed as to keep the concern in ignorance of the loss it was sustaining.

LOCAL BASEBALL  
GAMES CALLED OFF

Brooklyn's Double-Header and the Giants-Chicago Contest Prevented by Rain.

Rain caused the postponement of the ball games scheduled at the Polo Grounds and Washington Park in Brooklyn. The gates were opened at both grounds and the hopes of seeing a made game. In Brooklyn an extra attraction was offered in as much as the Brooklyn and the St. Louis team were scheduled to play two games. At the Polo Grounds the Giants were to meet the Chicagoans.

After the crowd had gathered it was decided in both instances that the games could not be played, and the rosters, sorely disappointed, filed out in the drizzling rain that had been coming down at intervals the greater part of the day.

In Detroit, where the Invaders were to play, the weather is nearly as bad as it is here and the American game seems likely to be called off too.

On Monday, at Washington Park, the Trolley Dodgers and the Cardinals will play two games, providing the weather and the condition of the grounds permit. The first game will be started at 2 o'clock.

SENTENCED TO DEATH.  
FELL IN A FAINT.

Prisoner Collapsed When Date for His Execution Was Set by Court.

(Special to The Evening World.)

OLEAN, N. Y., June 20.—William Rodewald was found guilty of murder in the first degree today for shooting Jesse Beyer two months ago. When sentenced to die the first week of August by Judge Krus he collapsed and fell in a faint.

The men quarreled over a wood pile at Salamanca.

BOY OF EIGHT IS  
KILLED BY AUTO.

Rudolph Wursta Run Down in Upper Fifth Avenue and William F. Houseman Is Arrested.

Rudolph Wursta, eight years old, of No. 24 West One Hundred and Twelfth street, was run down and killed this afternoon by an automobile driven by William F. Houseman, of No. 25 West Forty-ninth street. The boy was crossing Fifth avenue between One Hundred and Seventh and One Hundred and Eighth streets when struck by the machine.

Houseman was arrested and taken to the One Hundred and Fourth Street Police Station.

The body of the boy was removed to the same place.

Real interest was not shown until the call sounded for the Derby.

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BIGGEST CROWD  
AT DERBY SINCE  
WORLD'S FAIR

Brilliant Outpouring of Wealth and Fashion at the Great Turf Event in Chicago, with Endless Stream of Vehicles and Tremendous Jam of People.

65,000 PERSONS, IT IS ESTIMATED, WERE THERE TO SEE THE RACE.

Spectacle Declared to Be an Unparalleled One on Eastern Tracks—Bookmakers' Enclosure Fairly Blocked with Bettors Who Fought and Tore Their Clothes for Closing Odds—Rivers of Money Flowed.

THE STARTERS, OWNERS  
AND JOCKEYS IN DERBY.

Savable ..... 122.... (L. Reiff) John A. Drake..... 5 to 1  
Judge Himes ..... 125.... (H. Booker) C. R. Ellison..... 6 to 1  
Claude ..... 127.... (J. Daly) M. J. Daly..... 8 to 1  
Bernays ..... 122.... (Tommy Knight) J. B. Respass..... 8 to 1  
The Picket ..... 115.... (Helgeson) Middleton & Jungbluth..... 10 to 1  
Floarline ..... 117.... (Wonderly) M. H. Tichenor & Co. 12 to 1  
High Chancellor ..... 125.... (C. Gray) John A. Drake..... 15 to 1  
Fore and Aft ..... 125.... (Crowhurst) W. Gerst..... 15 to 1  
Linguist ..... 122.... (Dominick) Fred Cook ..... 15 to 1  
Au Revoir ..... 115.... (Coburn) J. C. Bennett & Co. 15 to 1  
Monsieur Beaucaire ..... 122.... (A. W. Booker) W. W. Darden & Co. 20 to 1  
Havel ..... 115.... (J. Reiff) Ed Corrigan ..... 20 to 1  
Gold Bell ..... 122.... (Otis) John F. Schorr..... 30 to 1  
Bonnie Burr ..... 115.... ( — ) W. H. Sayre..... 60 to 1

(Special to The Evening World.)

CHICAGO, June 20.—Never before has there gathered in the Washington Park inclosure such a crowd as that which congregated to-day to witness the American Derby. Spacious as are the great stands, the wide lawns, the club-house and the infield, it did appear that the limit of attendance had been reached. Until the count of tickets had been made the exact attendance cannot be told, but it is safe to say that 65,000 persons passed the turnstiles.

The day opened raw and cloudy, but as the morning wore on the clouds disappeared, the sun came out and the air grew warm and pleasant. By 11 o'clock the tide had set in for Washington Park and before 1 o'clock the grand stand was packed.

It has been supposed that the turn-out of fashion and wealth that graced the great World's Fair in 1893 would never be equalled at Washington Park, but those who saw the event ten years ago are certain that to-day's show of gowns and beauty and lavish display far surpasses it. Eastern visitors say that on none of the New York track can be found at the big events such a gorgeous array of magnificent vehicles, charmingly dressed women and general brightness.

Michigan avenue from noon was given over to the parade of tally-hoes and other up-to-date turn-outs bound for Washington Park. The broad boulevards of the south side were packed with vehicles on the way to the track. Automobiles without number puffed and groaned and twisted through the crush of horses and carriages, but the automobiles were not a feature of the display inside of the inclosure. Experience a year ago showed the managers of the track that the bubble wagons were dangerous inside the gates, so an acre plot, just outside the main entrance was arranged for the accommodation of automobilists. From there they were compelled to walk to the grounds.

## BIG STREAM OF VEHICLES.

Tally-hoes and other vehicles were accommodated in the in-field. They came through the carriage gate in a continuous stream, swung around the club-house and across the track, and from there into the soft green of the enclosure. Te arrangements for handling the vehicle patronage was excellent.

Victorias and other low carriages were given positions along the rail. Back of them were lined the coaches. Jolly crowds of wealthy men and women with sporting blood in their veins spent the time before the races were called in eating and drinking on the grass behind the coaches.

When the first race was called the grand-stand was reminiscent of the appearance of a can of sardines. Progress was almost impossible. The boxes were jammed with notables, while the club-house was almost as congested as the grand-stand. But the crowd was good-natured, as all race-track crowds are, and inconvenience counted for nothing against the opportunity of seeing the Derby run.

Down in the betting-ring the scene was approximate to the result of putting the inmates of one hundred mad-houses into a restricted space. The bookmakers were lined up on both sides so close together that it was all but impossible to squeeze between the stands. And all the rest of the space was taken up by a perspiring mob fighting and scrambling for a glance at the odds and the chance to risk a bet. When betting was opened on the first race 10,000 hands flashed into the air, and in every hand there was money.

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